

TERRITORIAL NEWS

Interesting Items Culled From Our Ezchange
List Arizona Local Events

Cochise County Locals.

D. Lemon, of Willcox, will have charge of Soto Bros' new store at Cochise.

Several good claims are being worked in the Chiricahua mountains, twenty-five miles south of San Simon.

Thomas Chatman is the hustling merchant at Dos Cabezas.

Thomas and Jepp Ryan came in from the Ryan Bros., McKittrick, Tevis mining properties Wednesday. We understand that they have made a good strike recently and will take up the bond they have on them and start working them on a large scale.—Range News.

Schwertner & Speed, saloon men at Willcox, have dissolved partnership. The new firm is Speed & Duncan.

H. B. Williams underwent a surgical operation for lupus Sunday at Willcox. Mr. Williams is recently from Minnesota, but at present residing at Cochise. The operation was highly successful.

Mrs. Murkey is reported quite ill at Dragoon.

Annoyance to be Removed.

The local banks are very much pleased over the repeal of the revenue law requiring stamps on checks, which will take effect July 1st.

President Freeman, of the Consolidated, says that while the repeal of the law will result in a saving of about \$400 a year to the bank, this is not the chief cause of gratification over the doing away with the stamp act. The petty items are a constant source of annoyance and friction, and the bank officials have to be constantly on the alert to avoid infraction of the law. Quite a percentage of checks presented at the counter are without stamp, which must be affixed before the check can be paid. All items coming to the bank through the mail have to be carefully scrutinized, and when not stamped the sender notified.

If a client out of town writes to the bank to send him a sum of money by mail or express, or remit some one for his account, the letter of request must bear the two-cent stamp. If the bank is wired for a similar purpose the telegram must be followed by a confirmatory letter, and the letter must have the two-cent stamp attached.

In addition to this constant annoyance, the aggregate expense to the depositors of the bank in the matter of stamps on their checks makes quite a considerable sum in a year's time.—Star.

Charles S. Nielson, the well known Silver Bell mining man, is dead.

The Jerome Power company has contracted with W. A. Clark to take three-fourths of their electric power generated.

A gentleman who came up from Williams on Saturday night states that there are only two cases of smallpox in the town. The reports from there have been greatly exaggerated.—Journal-Miner.

The excitement over oil on the western slope of the Black Hills continues to grow. New locations are being made each week and old locations are changing hands. Land that a week ago could be bought for fifty cents per acre is now held at \$5 per acre.—Journal-Miner.

If the legislature would quit introducing new laws, repeal about half the old ones and perfect the remaining half, the people would breathe easier. The curse of the present century is too many laws. Law and justice are becoming more estranged every day.—Courier.

A bill establishing the eight hour system in the mines, smelter and reduction works of Montana was passed by the legislature on February 1 and signed at once by Governor Toole. It becomes effective in ninety days after its approval. The Anaconda company, which has already introduced the eight hour system in Butte, has given orders to introduce it immediately into its smelters in Anaconda. The new system will require the employment of several hundred additional men.

The Arizona Bulletin says that C. F. Solomon and A. E. Van Armin have returned to Arizona from Honolulu, where they spent a month. Mr. Solomon says he is glad to let home again; that Hawaii is a beautiful place, but he was somewhat disappointed in it. He says it is no place for a poor man. Sugar is king there, and while fortunes are being made in that industry it takes a small fortune to conduct a plantation. He says as high as fourteen tons of sugar are raised on one acre in a single season. While on the islands Mr. Solomon says they only received one mail, and it rained almost continuously during their visit.

Mining men are now looking toward Tombstone, where preparations are said to be in progress for the opening up of some of the old silver producing mines of that camp. While no active work is being prosecuted just now, yet there are grounds upon which the Tombstone people feel safe in predicting great things for the future. There are now about 800 people in Tombstone, and during the operation of the mines there were 1,000 there and the camp was at its best in the southwest.—City.

A Sensational Episode.

There was quite a sensational episode in the house when Representative Lentz, of Ohio, charged that a speech on the Philippines he had sent to the Congressional Record for publication, under a "leave to print" order of the house, had been taken away by Speaker Henderson and turned over to Representative Grosvenor, of Ohio, for examination, instead of being printed. The speaker said he had had the speech sent to him because of his attention having been called to statements therein, and that he had turned the speech over to Representative Grosvenor as a member of the committee on rules, which, he claimed, had the right to see that orders of "leave to print" were not abused. The explanation was not acceptable, and in the midst of an uproar such as had not previously been seen at this session Representative Richardson, the minority leader, offered a resolution censuring the speaker for having exceeded his authority. That increased the uproar. By a narrow majority on a strict party vote the house refused to consider the resolution. The uproar continued and the majority was forced to vote an adjournment.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the firm heretofore existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Territory of Arizona, and under the firm name and style of Walsh & White, doing business in Naco, Cochise county, Arizona, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, W. A. White having purchased the entire interest of J. J. Walsh. W. A. White will continue the business and collect all accounts and pay all bills.

W. A. WHITE,
J. J. WALSH.

February 23, 1901.

H. J. ALLEN, financial agent of Senator W. A. Clark, has given it out cold that he is in favor of the bill creating the office of mine inspector. This little bit of information comes rather late in the session, and in our opinion is a bait to catch supporters for the new county of Verde.

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THE FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD—Independence Lodge No. 32, meets every first and third Wednesdays of the month. Visiting members are cordially invited.
JULIA MILLER, President.
FRED FUSB, Secretary.

Notice of Disolution of Co-Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the firm heretofore existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Territory of Arizona, and under the firm name and style of Heniger Brothers & White, doing business in Bisbee, Cochise County, Arizona, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, Heniger Bros. having purchased the entire interest of the said White. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to come forward and make payment immediately.
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T. F. WHITE.

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